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MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR, CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY  
ATTN: Mr. [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: Utilization of TALENT Materials in USAF Radar Order of Battle Publications

1. Reference is made to the procedures for utilization of TALENT materials in Headquarters USAF publications which were submitted to the Central Intelligence Agency on 13 August 1957.

2. A conference of appropriately cleared Air Order of Battle specialists from the various USAF commands was recently convened by this Headquarters. The purpose of the conference was to establish and implement workable and secure procedures for centralized sanitization by Headquarters USAF, which would also satisfy the operational requirements of USAF field commands.

3. In examining this problem in conference, and in implementing the utilization program, it has developed that a redelegation of limited authority and responsibility to the Strategic Air Command for the technical processing of ELINT data is necessary. The Strategic Air Command possesses necessary equipment and an excellent secure facility for processing ELINT data.

4. That command will accomplish limited sanitizing functions for this Headquarters for incorporation into standard Radar Order of Battle dissemination media. The operation will be supervised and inspected by representatives of the Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence.

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